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DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)

Title of Invention

NUCLEAR FUEL ASSEMBLY DEBRIS FILTER BOTTOM NOZZLE

As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

ARF 2004-003



The attached application, or



Application No. _____, filed on _____,



as amended on _____ (if applicable);

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

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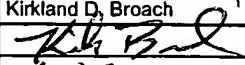
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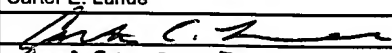
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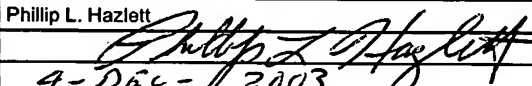
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